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Now

With F.M.L.

It must be a great comfort to enjoy the sanctity and protection of the institution even though institutional viability is a question of this decade, perhaps THE question.

It is not that everything must be public or shared. It is that private values are shaken deeply and are held loosely within what is left of institutional framework.

The question is becoming: Is a thing viable simply because tradition sustains it after the point of diminishing return?

Is an inflated contribution going to improve a deflating recipient? Do we sometime sustain unpronounced death rather than life anew?

These questions can be applied to any system undergoing the stress of the 70s, having survived the 60s.

They were applied numerous times in Cameron during the 60s.

NOW-NOW-NOW

All things considered, it may be easier to follow intellectual inclinations in Texas than pragmatic conservatism in the East.

NOW-NOW-NOW

Enjoyed a visit Thursday afternoon with a student from Durban, South Africa, home country of Cliff Drysdale, the tennis pro at Lakeway, and a couple of fine young tennis players at Mary Harden-Baylor College, Belton.

And was delighted to find Texas Almanacs are selling in Ohio and California.

We do what we can to convince people everywhere that Texas and Southwest are "the" part of the country, even to the interest of foreign students from South Africa, Latin America and wherever Texans are identified for what they are now as well as the traditional view of this state's history.

Remembering that Texas has sent delegations of businessmen to West Germany and Japan in the last several months, it is anything but remote that the modern view of Texas is international even as Comet Kohoutek reminds us that political boundaries are not what they used to be.

March Of Dimes Sets $7,500 Goal For 1974

The Milam County Chapter, March of Dimes, has set a $7,500 goal for its 1974 campaign, it was announced by Mrs. Florence Meissner, campaign chairman, at an organizational meeting of the chapter.

Present at the meeting were Darrall Walker, chapter president; Bob Burnett, chapter treasurer; Don Jones, Central Texas field representative; Mrs. Meissner; Pearlie Krenek, Mothers March chairman, Cameron; Mrs. Jack Ruzicka, MM chairman, Buckholts; Joe Marek, MM chairman, Burlington; Marcis Rodenbeck, Jenny Tieman and Mrs. Marvin Rodenbeck of Thorndale; Becky Miller, Debbie Ermis, Joy Sanders, Cameron, Janice Meissner, Teen-Age Program chairman, and Sherry Williams of Buckholts.

The MOD film "Tomorrow is Forever" was shown to the group. A short business session followed and plans were discussed to help the McDaniel child. Benjamin Mcdaniel, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McDaniel, is presently being treated at Childrens Hospital in Dallas.

Last year, as part of the county chapter work, five birth defect patients were assisted with county funds. All money donated to the MOD is used for research and outfitting the five birth defect centers in Texas, or spent on county people who need help.

TAP (Tenn Age Program) of the chapter is searching for its 1974 campaign queen. Any girl 14 years old or oider, resident of Milam County and a student in a county school, is eligible to try for this honor.

The contest officially starts on January 15 and ends on February 15 with the girl bringing in the most money winning the first prize and the girl bringing in the next most money winning the title runnerup.

The girls will be selling tickets for donations on the following items--first prize $100, second prize $50, and third prize $25. Day of the drawing will be Feb. 21.

Both winners will take part in March of Dimes activities, representing Milam County.

Information on the contest will be available at county schools and can be obtained there by girls wishing to enter the contest.

MOD PLANS were discussed at a recent meeting in Cameron. Seated are Bob Burnett, chapter treasurer; Darall Walker, chapter president. Back row, from left are Don Jones, Central Texas field representative; Janice Meissner, TAP chairman; Mrs. Florence Meissner, campaign chairman; and Mrs. Pearlie Krenek, Mothers March chairman for Cameron.

55 MPH Speed To Be Effective On January 20

The Texas Highway Commission set a statewide maximum speed limit of 55 miles per hour, effective at 12:01 a.m., Sunday, January 20.

The action was taken in keeping with the law passed by the recent special session of the Texas Legislature, empowering the Commission to set lower speed limits to comply with federal energy saving actions.

Under the terms of the Emergency Highway Energy Conservation Act signed by the President January 2, a state not establishing a 55 m.p.h. maximum speed limit would not receive its share of federal highway construction funds.

Federal taxes on items related to the operation of motor vehicles -- notably a four-cents-per-gallon levy on gasoline -- go into the Federal Highway Trust Fund. These funds are apportioned back to the state for the federal government's share of highway construction.

Texas' share amounts to some $240 million annually which would be withheld if the lower speed limit were not set by early March.

The lower speed limits will apply to all highways in the state, including highways under the control of the Texas Turnpike Authority, cities and counties.

New speed limit signs replacing the old 70-m.p.h. maximum speed limit on the State's major highways will be in place by the effective date. The Highway Department will begin immediately the task of making and posting the new signs.

The Commission also directed the Highway Department to monitor and document circumstances "which might relate to the establishment of speed limits and to report to the Commission on a monthly basis." This is in order that the Commission may make findings as to whether the 55 m.p.h. limit should continue in effect.

Area Roundup

Judge Declares Mistrial

A jury in the sanity hearing of Douglas MacArthur Stuart was unable to reach a verdict in Judge John C. Patterson's 82nd District Court. The judge declared a mistrial and discharged the jury. Stuart, 26, of Marlin was charged by indictment with the August 21 murders of Falls County Sheriff's Deputies Dean Humphus and Elbert Watkins. The officers were shot to death when they went to a house to transport Stuart to the Psychiatric Diagnostic Center in Waco. The sanity hearing was to determine whether Stuart is mentally competent to stand trial for the murders.

Prices Jolt Commissioners

The very real impact of the energy crisis hit close to home as county commissioners took bids on needed goods and services for the county for 1974. The court found shortages and higher prices in almost every commodity. The inflated rate of 22 cents per gallon of asphalt drew sighs from commissioners, especially when they saw escalation clauses which declared that the quoted prices are subject to variation without notice. "I can't understand this, they say there are tankers down there on the coast that don't have a place to unload," one commissioner complained.

Police Investigate Tire Slashing

City police continued investigations into a tire-slashing spree Friday night that left more than 35 tires flattened in the western area of Rockdale. Most of the cars were parked on streets but in several cases the tires were slashed in driveways. In addition, 12 tires on three cars left in the parking lot at the high school were slashed. Truman White, police chief, said the spree inflicted "thousands of dollars in damage."

Caldwell Schools Accredited

The Caldwell schools were recommended for full accreditation by the Texas Education Agency, following a visit to the schools from representatives of TEA and the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. The team visited classrooms, administrators, inspected board of trustee minutes, and district policy statements before returning to Austin to compile their report. Supt. Jack Faulds commented, "We received an excellent report. The team complimented the community for its efforts to improve the schools physically and academically."

Temple Classes Starting Later

Classes in all Temple elementary schools are starting at 8:30 a.m. to minimize the danger to small children walking or riding their bicycles to school. The adjusted time is 15 minutes later than the regular 8:15 a.m. This will affect elementary schools only. Secondary schools will not be affected and will begin morning classes at the regular time. All Temple schools are dismissing at the regular time.

Hospital To Receive Grant

The Robertson County Community Hospital received word from Cong. Olin Teague's office saying a grant request through the Economic Development Administration had been funded in the amount of $100,000. The grant along with $25,000 local money will be spent for improvements to the hospital. The improvements are needed to comply with the life safety code as required by the State Department of Health.

Race Develops In May Primary

Filing for the Democratic and Republican primaries scheduled for May 4 opened last week and one race developed when James L. Pazke and incumbent LaVert McKinney filed for Pct. 2 commissioner.

Others filing, all incumbents, were Pct. 1 JP Jess Brock, Pct. 2 JP William Pagach, Pct. 8 JP Howard Buchanan, County Judge O. B. Harden, County Clerk Wayne Wieser, District Clerk Grady Allen and Pct. 4 Commissioner Dalton Caffey.

CofC Elects Directors

Six new directors have been elected to the board of directors of the Cameron Chamber of Commerce in a recent general election.

These members will begin a three-year term of service on March 1: Billy McCutchen, Charles McGregor, Bill Dase, Douglas Buck, James Hudson and Derwood Cobb.

New officers will be elected for the organization in February and six members will be appointed to serve a one-year term as directors. All new officers and directors will officially begin their duties March 1 and will be introduced at the annual Chamber banquet scheduled in early spring.

Other directors who will be serving on the board are: Ed Laywell, L. W. Stroup Jr., Jim Lafferty, Henry Litzman, Albert Hajovsky, Jack Chubb, Narvie Caperton, John B. Henderson Jr., Henry Siebman, Goodhue Smith, Richard Williams and Milton Wright.

Wachel Joins SCS Team

Roland A. Wachel is a new conservation technician who will be working with the Cameron Soil Conservation Service field office.

Wachel started his career with the SCS at Franklin in November, 1966. He is a native of Falls County and was raised on a farm north of Bremond.

He is a 1963 graduate of Bremond High School. His wife, Kathy, is a graduate of Sam Houston State University and presently teaches high school mathematics at Bremond.

ROLAND WACHEL

Films Vie For Academy Awards

By Bruce Russell

HOLLYWOOD

Reuter -- As the New Year's eve deadline approached to qualify for the Academy Awards, U. S. filmmakers rushed out a stream of major films demonstrating the renewed muscle of Hollywood at world box offices.

These films and a number of acclaimed performances in them are expected to turn the Academy Award next April into one of the toughest races in years.

American Motion Picture Association President Jack Valenti announced earlier this month that for the first time for a number of years, U. S. Films will earn more than half their profits from overseas countries this year.

Valenti attributed this risemainly to efficient distribution operations of U. S. Film companies but film industry sources believe it reflects too the return to glamorous, quality films which made the old Hollywood dominant worldwide.

In the last few weeks of the year, Hollywood studios rushed out the prison escape film "Papillon," a nostalgic love story "The Way We Were," a comedy "The Sting," a thriller about talking dolphins called "The Day of the Dolphin" and a supernatural epic, "The Exorcist."

The number of major male performances in these and other films is expected to make the best actor award the most hotly contested of all.

Seen as contenders for nomination were Robert Redford ("The Way We Were" and "The Sting"), George C. Scott ("The Day of the Dolphin" and "Oklahoma Crude"), George Segal ("Blume in Love" and "A Touch of Class"), Jack Lemon ("Save the Tiger"), and Marlon Brando ("Last Tango In Paris.").

The competition is slightly less intense in the best actress category, but industry sources expect nominations to go to Barbara Streisand ("The Way We Were"), Glenda Jackson ("A Touch of Class"), Marsha Mason ("Cinderella Liberty") and Ellen Burstyn ("The Exorcist.")

In the best film category, predictions have been altered with arrival right on deadline of "The Exorcist," a film about a young girl possessed by the devil.

"The Exorcist" has made the same impact on U.S. Box offices as "The Godfather," 1972 best picture winner, in the closing days of that year.

Reports of the film's mysterious production difficulties which gave rise to claims the film itself might be jinxed raised interest to such a level that "The Exorcist" made more on its opening than any other film in Los Angeles history.

The film grossed $17,700 in a single day, against a previous record of $12,300 in 1969.

The film's director William Friedkin saw production costs double original estimates because of a series of mystery events including the burning down of an expensive set and the flooding of another one.

Friedkin is seen as virtually certain to get a best director nomination for his film.

If he were to win the award, he would be in the rare position of winning for two successive films. He last won for his direction of "The French Connection" in 1971.

Valenti in reporting at the Teheran international film festival that foreign rentals would account for more than half of U.S. film rentals this year--against 48 per cent last year--said:

"The secret of American film dominance always has been and continues to be our organized global distribution.

"It is unique among all countries of the world. No other country could shoulder the expense for a distribution network or overcome the difficulties in sustaining it."

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First Order Development...

Cameron Industrial Foundation has enabled the development of a $1.6 million annual payroll in seven years, when Walled Lake Door is included.

It has collected about 97 per cent of its pledges over that span of time, during which three plants have been encouraged to locate here in the approximate 50-acre tract which now needs additional land.

The original goal of $100,000 to be raised in 1966 reached about $65,000 which in those seven years has grown into more than the one and one-half million community income. That is currently about 380 jobs. More than 300 of those jobs, the total of which fluctuates perhaps 50 to 100 from year to year, usually upward, did not exist.

The first $65,000 plus about another $20,000 in stock in the non-profit corporation has grown then about 20 times. And finances are sound and to the minute accurate.

Think about that. How many other things has any community done in this area where so little, by comparison, is doing so much day in, day out for the Cameron-Milam area?

Next time you put up $1 and get almost $20 back each year six years later on something you do, let your Herald know.

This is first-order community development, first-order progress.

Seeing Dark In Light...

The "Tomorrow" show on NBC touches on interesting subjects, one of the most recent the subject of death.

The MC interviewed four men who survived confrontations with death, telling the varying effects on their lives during and afterward.

And then a professor explained the growing popularity of lectures on the subject in universities and colleges in the East and Midwest.

He said even three years ago, death would have been an unacceptable course topic anywhere, but now is receiving broad interest among students and faculty.

He explained that interest in death follows a cycle in history attuned to pressures on public attitudes toward life. Fear of a catastrophic war still are in abayence in the background, enormous probelms of world-to-local social change, technological change are behind this current interest, he said.

In other words, death as an alternative to life, particularly for the enfeebled looking toward an inevitable end, is apparently becoming a viable comfort. And not just for the elderly.

Two of the men who survived death said they refused to accept the notion it would happen, despite the immenence of its reality. They survived. It may have been those one in a billion or an act of will. Two of the men indicated they felt they were living beyond their limits, considering what they escaped. One man had fallen 3300 feet from an airplane and survived. He was a skydiver.

Death no longer concerned these men, because they had escaped it.

But interest in death as an alternative to much of this life may also be an act of will. And a broad educational base, it is a precipitous development.

Little, if anything is mentioned about looking to "a life hereafter", just "rest".

This suggests a whole lot of people are accepting the dark side before the lights are shining.

Association Elects New Directors

The Ben Milam Savings & Loan Association held its annual stockholders meeting Wednesday evening, January 9, and during the business session increased its Board of Directors to ten members from the eight member Board serving during 1973. Stockholders also heard a report from Roy Engram, Association manager, about the organization's condition and the outlook for the coming year.

New directors elected are Cameron's Mayor Gene F. Blake and H. H. Coffield, Rockdale industrialist, oilman and rancher.

Re-elected as directors

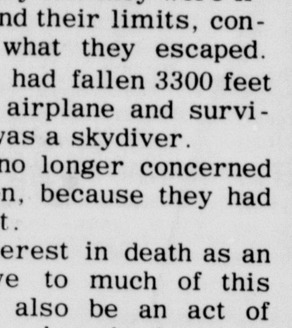
Re-elected as directors for the coming year were E. L. Weid, Robert L. Ellett, W. P. Hogan, Joe Glaser, Dr. Sidney H. Richardson, Dr. George W. Bowman Lee Roy Caffey and Roy M. Engram.

In his report Engram said the Association was making good progress in spite of the various unfavorable conditions that were facing the national economy at present. He quoted figures to show that the organization had grown in deposits to $1,659,887.03 on January 8, 1974, from $736,488.12 a year ago on January 16, 1973. He pointed out that in its statement of condition dated December 20, 1973, the Association had total assets of $1,872,748.07, and predicted:

"We look for our total assets to top the $2,000,000 mark within the next few weeks."

Engram said he wanted to emphasize again that although its office was located in Cameron, the Association was not limited only to the city but was able to serve customers in any part of Milam County.

The Lonely Heart



Letters

Dear Editor,

Your column "Now with F.M.L." 12-17-73 leaves me depressed.

Sincerely,
James D. Sheridan
Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Luecke:

Bakers are talking about a dollar a loaf for bread. For years and years Commodity Credit has loaned wheat farmers about what wheat was selling for at harvest time, and the profit make from the loans went to the wheat farmers.

Last summer the price of the wheat was so much higher than Commodity Credit's loan value that the speculators bought the wheat that Commodity Credit should have gotten, and now the speculators are selling the wheat for about double what it cost them, to the mills.

So that is how it goes, in 1972 Russia bought our wheat for much less than it was worth in 1973 the wheat speculators bought it for less than its value.

Sincerely,
Paul S. Dillon
Cameron, Texas

No fish story: the First Sea Lord of the British Navy during World War I was Baron Fisher!

Regulations Published For Standby Gas Rationing

Regulations for a proposed standby gasoline rationing program were published for comment Thursday, January 10, in the Federal Register, according to Delbert M. Fowler, Dallas, southwest regional director for the Federal Energy Office (FEO).

If rationing is necessary, the program will be ready to implement by March 1, 1974.

Individuals may obtain copies of the January 10, 1974 Federal Register by writing to the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., 20402. Cost is 75¢.

The FEO overall action plans calls for allocating 900,000 barrels per day less gasoline in the first quarter of 1974, as well as drawing down gasoline inventories by 346,000 barrels per day to meet an estimated shortfall of 1.2 million barrels per

FEO has proposed conservation steps to manage this shortfall of gasoline:

*Voluntary 10 gallon per week consumption target.

* 55 mile-per-hour speed limit.

*Ban on Sunday gasoline sales.

*Encouraging car pools.

If the American public continues to cooperate, more stringent measures can be avoided, such as:

* Further restriction on gasoline sales

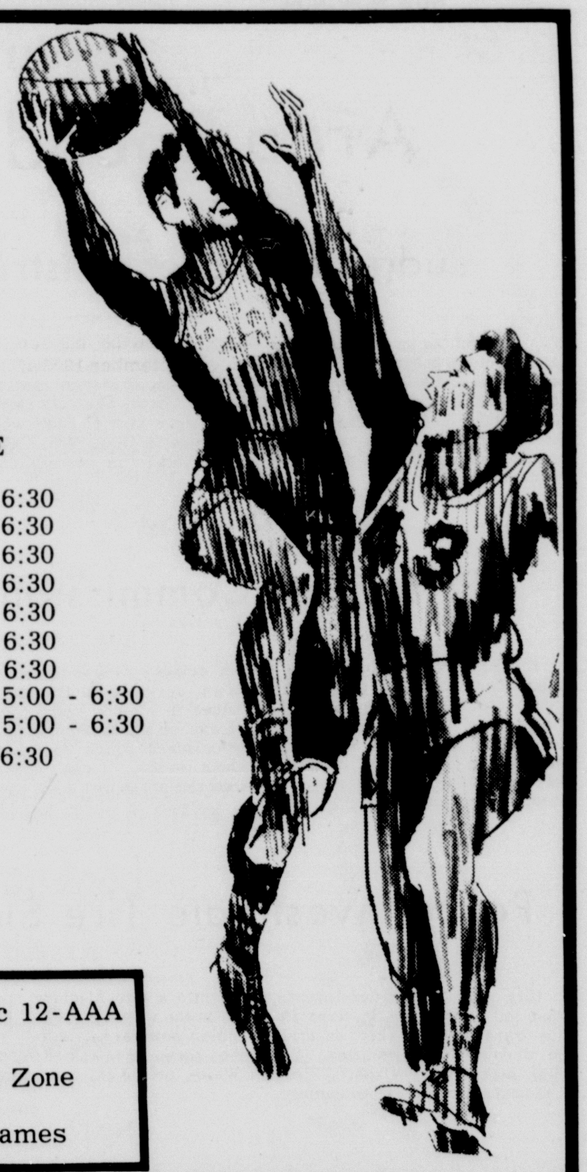
* Two days per week service station closing.

* A ban on individual auto driving one day per week.

*Rationing.

But given the uncertainties both in supply of gasoline and effectiveness of conservation measures, the standby rationing plan was developed.

YOE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE



DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	GAMES	TIME
*Jan.4	Lampasas	Here	AB	5:00 - 6:30
*Jan.8	Gatesville	There	AB	5:00 - 6:30
*Jan. 11	CopperasCove	Here	AB	5:00 - 6:30
Jan. 15	Open		AB	5:00 - 6:30
*Jan. 18	Belton	There	AB	5:00 - 6:30
*Jan. 22	Lampasas	There	AB	5:00 - 6:30
*Jan. 25	Gatesville	Here	AB	5:00 - 6:30
*Jan. 29	CopperasCove	There	ABF	4:00 - 5:00 - 6:30
Feb. 1	Georgetown	There	ABF	4:00 - 5:00 - 6:30
*Feb. 5	Belton	Here	AB	5:00 - 6:30

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Airlines To Train At TSTI

Two international airline companies will begin training procedures on the James Connally Campus of the Texas State Technical Institute January 13.

Braniff Airways Incorporated and American Airlines will begin "touch and go" landings on the James Connally Airport as of midnight Sunday.

Under the agreement, the major airlines will use the airport facilities to land, takeoff and taxi aircraft. Various types of jet commercial planes will be used.

Both companies are under contract with Aviation Properties Development Corporation for the training exercises. Aviation Properties in turn is under an agreement with the Texas State Technical Institute to develop the airport facilities and make necessary capital improvements.

As part of theoverall program, Aviation Properties has already installed a Category II Training Instrument Landing System. Other related equipment is also being installed.

Dur to the increased aviation activities on the James Connally Airport, the control tower will begin 24 hour service on January 13. This will extend the general usage of the facility on an "a round the clock" basis for all public and privately owned aircraft.

James Connally Airport manager, Sid Hess, said the jet aircraft will be landing at various times of the day and night. The schedule for the landings will appear in all appropriate flight publications.

Hess went on to say that vehicular traffic on perimeter roads and on the airport taxi ways is prohibited unless with permission of the airport manager. Hess also pointed out that ground vehicles will not be permitted near the orange and white buildings near the ends of the northsouth runway.

Parrish To Head Council

Tom Z. Parrish, vice president of Development for Baylor University has been re-elected president of the Heart O' Texas Council, Boy Scouts of America for 1974 and will preside at the Annual Recogniation Dinner. January 18 at 6:30 p.m. The Recognition Dinner is the first official meeting of the new year.

The Heart O' Texas Council has a membership of over 8,600 boys and 2,700 leaders serving eleven and one-half counties in the Central Texas area.

He has served on the Executive Board since 1971 as vice president and president. He is the father of an Eagle Scout.

The Heart O' Texas Council has 372 Cub Packs, Scout Troops and Explorer Posts and serves 28.5 of all boys 8 through 18 years of age.

HEW Secretary Outlines Low Temperature Effects

HEW Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger said today that the effects of the fuel shortage on the Nation's health "should be minimal, if common sense prevails.

"Our medical specialists report," Secretary Weinberger said, "that a reduction in room temperatures from 72 to even down to 60 degrees would have no effect on the likelihood of an individual contracting a common cold, influenza or pheumonia, and by the same token, a reduction to 68 would certainly have no ill effects.

"Many will develop these illnesses this winter, as they do every winter, but reduced heating will not be the culprit."

The Secretary made those observations in releasing a paper on the impact of the energy shortage on health, prepared in the Office of Dr. Charles C. Edwards, Assistant Secretary for Health.

Secretary Weinberger noted that the 6 degree temperature reduction recommmended for the Nation's schools would be well within the range of temperature reduction that would not adversely affect health.

Dr. Edwards said that while lower temperatures can be uncomfortable, particularly if they are achieved too quickly, they by themselves are not harmful to health.

"This is not to say that anyone will enjoy the energy shortages," said Dr. Edwards," "but we can handle the situation without danger to health by following a few common sense precautions."

Among those cited were:

* Avoid unnecessary discomfort in adjusting to lower room and office temperatures by turning the thermostat down gradually over a period of several days rather than all at once.

* Wear enough warm clothing to keep comfortable.

* Try to maintain as high a room humidity level as possible.

General health rules to be kept in mind, said Dr. Edwards, include:

* Reduced temperatures, moving from warm to cooler temperatures, and being wet and cold -- while certainly uncomfortable -- do not increase the risk of catching colds, influenza and pneumonia.

* Since most bacteria and viruses grow better at higher temperatures, some experts feel that cooler living may even be a benefit in disease control.

* There are no special heating requirements for infants, preschoolers, young children or pregnant women. Their needs are no different from those of healthy adults.

* The average new-born child can cope quite well with home temperatures as low as 60 degrees if clothed and in a home where the humidity is kept as high as possible.

Dr. Edwards said that any nutritional effects of the energy crisis "will not be the result of any temperature change, but will come from restrictions in transport, school closings, unemployment, inflated prices, and agricultural shortages."

He said that there are "only minimal requirements for increased calorie intake -- not more than 100 additional calories a day to adjust to 60 degrees as opposed to 72 degrees."

An English philosopher slept with a barrel of tar water in his bedroom to cure a cold.

MACK WALLACE

Wallace Files For Commission

Mack Wallace of Athens has announced today he will seek his first elective term on the Texas Railroad Commission, where he has served since September 1973 after appointment by Governor Dolph Briscoe.

Wallace, former District Attorney and head of the Texas Criminal Justice Council, filed for the Democratic nomination to complete the last four years of the unexpired term of Byron Tunnell, resigned.

Wallace, 44, is a graduate of Henderson County Junior College and Baylor University School of Law. He served as Henderson County Attorney for six years and as District Attorney of the Third Judicial District for ten years. After joining Governor Briscoe' legal staff in 1973 he was appointed executive director of the Texas Criminal Justice Council, holding that post until his appointment to succeed Tunnell on the Railroad Commission.

Wallace has been an officer in the Texas National Guard, having enlisted in the 36th Division as a teen-ager. He has been active in civic and church work in Athens.

Consolidated Report of Condition of

THE BUCKHOLTS STATE BANK

of Buckholts, Milam, Texas 76518, and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on December 31, 1973

State Bank No. 190
Federal Reserve District No. 11

ASSETS

Cash and due from banks		262,488.82
U.S. Treasury securities		298,921.87
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		421,867.73
Obligations of States and political subdivisions		179,820.97
Other securities		200,000.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		600,000.00
Other loans		1,660,703.45
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		18,600.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises		5,950.00
Other assets		2,950.61
TOTAL ASSETS		3,651,303.45

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,490,501.62
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1,529,081.02
Deposits of United States Government		
Deposits of States and political subdivisions		232,810.29
Certified and officers' checks, etc.		16,647.47
TOTAL DEPOSITS	3,269,040.40	
(a) Total demand deposits	1,593,459.38	
(b) Total time and savings deposits	1,675,581.02	
Other Liabilities		59,520.43
TOTAL LIABILITIES		3,328,560.83

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service Rulings)	12,000.00
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	12,000.00

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Equity capital, total	310,742.62
Common stock - total par value	100,000.00
No. shares authorized 10,000	
No. shares outstanding 10,000	
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	110,742.62
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	310,742.62
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	3,651,303.45

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	3,279,000.00
Average of total loans for 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,614,000.00

I, Marvin R. Young, Jr., Assistant Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly (swear, affirm) that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct-Attest: MARVIN R. YOUNG, JR.
Leo Fuchs
Edna Fuchs
Richard C. Crowe Directors

Sworn to and subsribed before me this 10th day of January, 1974, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

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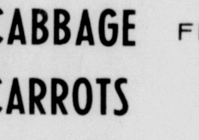

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NATO Faces Tests To Unity

By James Foley

BRUSSELS

Reuter -- NATO, Its solidarity painfully bruised by the Middle East war, faces more tests to its unity in the new year.

The United States and its European partners, reconciled -- at least on the surface -- after criticizing each other for improper action during the war, will have to deal with the Arab oil restrictions and their damaging effect on western economies.

They are expected to result in Washington hardening its long-standing demand that the European allies contribute more of the 2,500 million dollars it takes each year to pay for the 300,000 troops the U. S. maintains in Europe.

At meetings of NATO defense and foreign ministers here earlier this month, U. S. Defense Secretary James Schlesinger expressed official disappointment that no plan on defence burden - sharing had been agreed.

Observers here expect the American stand on the issue to become sharper as the oil shortage bites deeper into the U. S. economy.

The U. S. government will be under the additional pressure of a congressional amendment to produce results on burden-sharing.

This congressional amendment to produce results on burden-sharing.

This congressional amendment, evidence of growing American resentment at paying to defend Europe while the Europeans are seen to keep a tight grip on their pocket books, commits President Nixon to reporting to Congress in February and every three months thereafter on progress made in persuading the Europeans to pay more.

The European allies at the meeting of defense ministers this month pledged action to ease the load on the U. S., but came up with no concrete proposals on what they planned.

NATO officials and diplomats at alliance headquarters here fear the oil cutbanks and resultant economic slowdown will also prompt member governments into cutting back on defense spending.

However the essential problem facing NATO is whether its members will continue as allies or drift into competition at a time of growing detente between east and west.

Proof of the new climate of east-west detente has come in increasing bilateral and multilateral contacts between NATO countries and the Soviet bloc.

Talks got underway in Vienna this year with the aim of reducing NATO and Warsaw pact forces in central Europe, and the second phase of the European security conference opened in Geneva.

Neither conference has produced any great results to date but they do indicate that east and west are talking to each other, thus making it more difficult for NATO countries to present their people with big defence bills, especially at a time of economic recession.

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Careful Driving Is Winter Must

WASHINGTON, D.C.

Careful driving is even more important in winter weather because of poor road conditions, the Tire Industry Safety Council reminds motorists.

"Motorists should be especially alert behind the wheel to anticipate abrupt steering and braking emergencies," said Council Chairman Malcolm R. Lovell, Jr.

"In view of the energy crisis this winter, motorists should also know that properly inflated tires save gasoline," Mr. Lovell said.

"Underinflated tires squirm a lot, and make your engine work harder to oversome roll resistance," he explained. "You can help stretch fuel supplies by good tire care."

The Tire Industry Safety Council offers these tips for cold weather tire care and driving:

*Keep your tires properly inflated. Lower pressure does not increase traction, and excessive heat buildup from underinflation may damage your tires.

* Remember changing weather changes tire inflation pressure. Tires lose about one pound of air pressure for every 10-degree drop in temperature.

*Check for proper tire inflation pressure before starting out, when tires are still cold.

*Winter, or snow tires are recommended for use in areas with periodic snow and ice. These special tires have an open tread pattern and deep grooves for extra traction.

*Studded tires may provide the most reliable starting, braking and steering response if you live in the snow belt. Check for state use restrictions, if any.

* Do not mix radial tires with snow tires of bias-belt or bias-ply construction. If you have regular radial tires and are considering replacing two of them with snow tires, they must be radial snow tires.

* Winter tires should carry the same inflation pressures as recommended for conventional tires.

*Make sure your tires are properly balanced and aligned for the best possible steering response in hazardous weather.

* Make sure your spare tire is in good condition and properly inflated before you start out in bad weather.

* If you switch to winter tires, store your others in a cool, dry place, away from furnaces or batteries which may produce ozone. Store white sidewalls facing each other.

One manufacturer has created maternity clothes for dogs.

ENERGY TALKS

By Warren B. Davis
Director, Energy Economics

"Should the consumer's number one objective be the lowest possible price for his gasoline and fuel oil?"

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• *Mr. Davis was principal author of the National Petroleum Council's "U.S. Energy Outlook" prepared for the U.S. Interior Department.*

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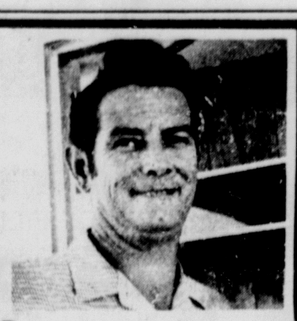

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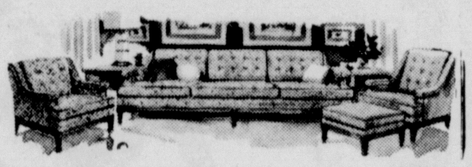

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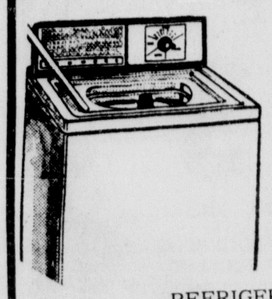

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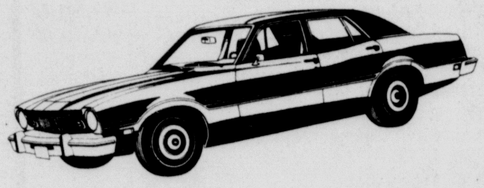

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Happening about Town

Ladies Fire Auxiliary Meets Here

The Cameron Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday, January 8 at 7:30 p.m. in the Fire Station meeting room.

Auxiliary officers are: Mrs. Jo Ann Thompson, president; Mrs. Pearlie Krenek, vice-president; Mrs. Mary Sue Thompson, secretary; Mrs. June Harwell, treasurer; Mrs. Gladys Dohnalik, program chairman; Pat Horelica, refreshment chairman; Mrs. Jewel Burgess, cheer committee chairman.

Reports were given on house fire family donations, Christmas dinner and gifts for a needy family and the Christmas program for the fireman's children.

Donations will be made to the Mike and Nancy McDaniel child and to the Milam County March of Dimes.

A money making project was discussed. Members will have stationary and note cards to sell

Refreshments were served by Miss Pat Horelica to Mrs. Agnes Bruedigan. Wives, daughters, sisters and mothers living in the same household with an active or retired fireman are eligible and invited to be a member of the Ladies Auxiliary, which meets the first Tuesday of each month.

Community Center Sets Calendar

Mrs. Glenda Moseley, activities director for the Cameron Community Center, has released the following schedule of events at the Center during January:

Jan. 14 - Decker Dance Classes 3 and 4 p.m.
Jan. 15 - 2 p.m. Senior Citizens (Center open for games)
Jan. 16 - 7 p.m. Trim and Slim Club
Jan. 17 - 9 to 11 a.m. Cameron Community Sewing Class 3:45 p.m. Cub Scout Den 2 - Pack 713 6:30 p.m. Evening Lions Club

Jan. 21 - Decker Dance Classes 3 and 4 p.m.
Jan. 22 - 2 p.m. Senior Citizens (games)
Jan. 23 - 7 p.m. Trim and Slim Club
Jan. 24 - 9 to 11 a.m. Community Sewing Class 3:45 Club Scout Den 2

Jan. 28 - Decker Dance Class 3 and 4 p.m.
Jan. 29 - 2 p.m. Senior Citizens (games)
Jan. 30 - 7 p.m. Trim and Slim Club
Jan. 31 - 9 to 11 a.m. Community Sewing Class 3:45 p.m. Cub Scout Den 2

WSCS Takes New Name, New Emphasis

The newly re-organized United Methodist Women (formerly WSCS) of the First United Methodist Church will open their service year with a covered dish noon luncheon Wednesday at the Methodist Fellowship Hall.

Plans for the new year emphasise involving all women working in areas of their particular interest, according to Mrs. Forrest Sapp, UMW president. She said circle meetings and special studies will still be a part of the program, but groups emphasising services such as hospital visitation, fund raising and children's needs have been formed for those with special interests and limited time.

The new program outlined is based on a survey of local Methodist Church women conducted this fall.

Year books will be presented at the opening luncheon and general meeting Wednesday.

New officers for the United Methodist Women will be installed during regular morning services at the First United Methodist Church Sunday.

Dinner To Benefit Child

Members of the First United Methodist Church Couples Class have set plans for a dinner benefiting Benjamin Carter McDaniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McDaniel, at 12 noon Sunday, January 27, in the Methodist Fellowship Hall.

Tickets for the dinner are available at the Church office and will be $3 for adults and $1.50 for children age 5 through 12 (there will be no charge for children under age 5.)

Plates will also be sold for delivery to those who cannot attend. Members of the Senior MYF will deliver the plates to shut-ins.

Homemakers Have Sewing Demonstration

Lynn Wilfert, homemaking teacher at Yoe High School, gave a demonstration of sewing tips at the January meeting of Cameron Young Homemakers Tuesday evening.

During a business meeting members elected Mrs. Karen Wyrick as second vice president to succeed Mrs. Marvin Young who resigned.

Hot chocolate and cookies were served by the hostesses, Jane Burns and Linda Flemming.

Next meeting for the Young Homemakers will be at 7 p.m. February 4 in the Yoe High Homemaking Building.

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barker of Portland, formerly of Cameron, a girl, Deborah Camille, December 3, 1973.

City Library Lists New Books

Disraeli in Love by Maurice Edelman - This is the story of young Disraeli, dashing opportunist on the way to becoming the most powerful man in England.

Real Lace by Stephen Birmingham - In this engrossing and often hilarious book we read of how the Irish, or at least some Irish, emerged - frequently in less than a generation's time - out of poverty into positions of both social and business prominence.

H. G. Wells by Norman and Jeanne Mackenzie - In this massive and long-awaited biography, Wells the man appears in full.

George W. Brackenridge by Marilyn McAdams Sibley - The biography of a man who was a paradox to his fellow Texans, devoting his energies to making a fortune only to give it to philanthropic causes.

O' Neill by Louis Sheaffer - Vigorously written, scrupulously researched, compassionate in its treatment of the tormented man who "transmuted private history and secret anguish into art".

Economics & The Public Purpose by John Kenneth Galbraith - The most important of the Professor's three major books on economics.

Destiny Road by Odie B. Faulk - The story of the Gila Trail and the opening of the Southwest.

Cherokee Woman by Frances M. Daves - This moving, dramatic story vividly portrays the heartbreaking end of Georgia's Cherokees, and of the people, Indian and White, good and bad, who populated the frontier.

The Secret Life of Plants by Peter Tompkins and Christopher Bird - This book explores the world of plants and their relation to mankind as revealed by the latest discoveries of scientists.

Impressions of the Big Thicket by William Owens with paintings by Michael Frary - A beautiful book combining the impression of two who recognize the Big Thicket as a symbol of nature's last stand against encroaching civilization.

Hazard by Gerald A. Browne **Hazard** is the story of a free - lance intelligence agent pro tem whose personal vendetta against his brother's killers carries him to the nerve center of something global and deadly.

Target Five by Colin Forbes - If ever there was a "can't put it down" book, this is it.

Portraits from North American Indian Life by Edward S. Curtis - Outstanding pictorial presentation of the American Indian.

Everyday Life in Bible Times by National Geographic Society - "Written with masterful simplicity by outstanding scholars."

BPW Club Meets

The Cameron Business and Professional Women's Club met Monday at the BPW Clubhouse for a business meeting. Mrs. K. K. Robbins opened the meeting with a prayer.

Hot punch, cookies and cake were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Lilly McWilliams and Miss Hazel Williams.

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Youth's Quest For Identity

COLLEGE STATION

A young adult's opinion of himself is influenced by hereditary and environmental factors.

"These influences either help -- or prevent -- development of self-concept," according to Jane Fleischer, specialist in family life education, Texas Agricultural Extension Service Texas A&M University System.

Self-concept, the specialist explained, involves the traits and habits an individual accepts as himself.

"In other words, one's concept of who and what he is -- and his thoughts and feelings about himself as an individual.

"The growth of self-concept is a continuous process All through the developmental stages -- infancy, childhood, adolescence and adulthood -- a person searches for identity while maturing in his personality traits," Miss Fleischer noted.

As a result, self-concept develops in several ways.

For one, spirit of honesty and acceptance plays an important part, she said.

"When an individual 'removes his mask' and is himself, he can accept himself more realistically and relate to other around him.

"Strong motivation for achievement is another factor. With much of our culture competitive, one' sense of self-worth largely depends on his ability to meet the demands placed upon him.

"Most of all, a young adult needs to feel he's independently responsible in his struggle for self-concept," the specialist emphasized.

"Independence means a person can seek guidance from others who he considers role models -- people that succeeded in their own searches.

"As such, he associates with mature adults who combine inner stability with freedom to change -- while continuing to grow."

Phone Book Due Jan. 16

Delivery of the new Cameron phone directory will begin January 16, according to Dennis Richter, manager for Southwestern Bell.

The painting which appears on the cover of the new directory will be featured statewide by Southwestern Bell on directories in 1974.

For this reason Edward Herbes captured bits of Texana from across the state in "Our Texas." According to the artist the painting represents Texans of all faiths, races and cultural background; their historic achievements and great adventures today to improve their life.

College Degrees Available For Vets

An undetermined number of veterans, wives, widows and children eligible for Veterans Administration educational assistance now have greater latitude in working toward standard college degrees.

Administrator of Veterans Affairs Donald E. Johnson said new regulations allow trainees to pursue, along with regular college curricula, independent courses or other external study programs away from parent campuses.

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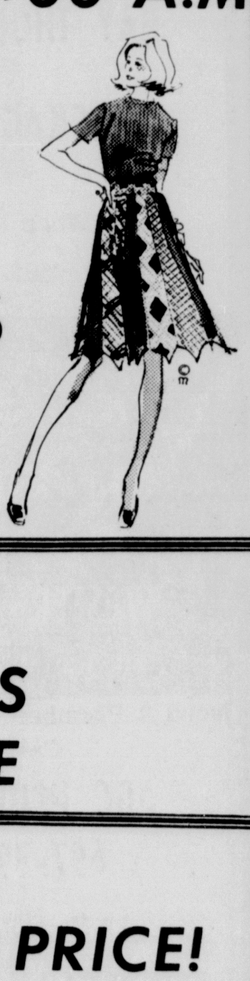

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TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN

by Vern Sanford

Food for Fishermen

Most bass anglers like to stay out on the lake long after the lunch hour. In fact, very few fishermen want to return to shore at all—especially "just to eat."

So, take along some beef jerky on your next outing. Those strips of dried beef provide lots of energy and require no refrigeration. Besides that they take up but little space in the tackle box, or shirt pocket.

Handy Line Cutters

Those large size toenail clippers are also a "must" in the tackle box of today's bass fishermen. Reason is that nylon line (the current favorite) is very difficult to break. Although smaller in diameter and more flexible, it is tougher.

Good sharp knives will cut the line okay, but not as fast or as safe (in a bouncing boat) as clippers. The knife's place is in the pocket—and pockets are not too accessible when one is seated. Besides that, the knife has to be opened and closed each time it is used.

Most ardent anglers tie a strong string to a pair of nail clippers and attach the string to the boat at some convenient spot close by the chair where most of the casting is done.

When it's time to change lures the angler merely reaches for the handy clippers, snips the line from the lure, ties on a new bait, trims the excess line and is ready to cast again in a very few seconds.

To the bass fisherman the time saved is important for one catches fish only when the bait is in the water.

Safe Gun Handling

Every year someone is injured or killed while "cleaning" a gun. This never happens if the person, as soon as he picks up the firearm, opens the action and removes all ammunition that may be in the chamber and the magazine.

Hunting Companions

Choose your hunting companions carefully!

Some hunters just aren't safety conscious. Such individuals should not be selected as hunting buddies no matter how close they are as friends.

It's better to lose a friend, or to have an unhappy acquaintance, than to become a hunting statistic.

Yoemen Kennel Bulldogs, 40-31

Coach Max Graham's Yoe cagers used a fine defensive effort to kennel the Copperas Cove Bulldogs, 40-31, Friday night in Cameron.

Both teams were blessed with height, but Cameron's 6'7" Ronnie Bennett outjumped Cove's 6'5" Ed Massokowski.

Bennett pulled down 20 rebounds and Harry Brooks grabbed 9, to dominate the backboards for the Yoemen.

Gary Hornung, Jafus White and John Barron led the defensive charge, and made it almost impossible for Cove to work the ball inside of the Yoe five. Coach Graham said, "I feel like the defense is what won the game for us."

The game started out slow with both teams unable to light the scoreboard, but Cameron bustled and jumped to a 16-4 first quarter lead.

During the second quarter the scoring picked up, and at halftime Cameron's lead was cut to 29-14.

Cove came out in the second half and outscored Cameron, 17-11, but the Yoe lead proved to be to much of an obstacle to overcome.

In last quarter action, Cameron only scored 1 point while Cove rallied for 11.

Bennett was the leading scorer for the Yoemen with 14 points, Harry Brooks had 8, Jafus White 7, John Barron 6, Gary Hornung 3, and Kenneth Scott 2.

Massokowski was high pointer for Cove with 11, Dinsmore had 4 and Mickan had 4.

The victory moved the Yoe district record to 2-1, and Cove fell to a 1-1.

In junior varsity action, Cameron came out on top by a 67-49 score. Obra Henry led the Yoe JV in scoring with 24 points, and Lawerence Todd tossed in 23 for Cove.

CAMERON'S Dennis Hollas adds 2 points to the Yoe score in junior varsity action against Cove. The Yoe JV won 67-49. (Photo by Mike Peck)

City Tournament Of Bowlers To Be Held

The City Tournament of Bowlers will be held at the Cameron Bowling Lanes on January 26 and 27 and February 2 and 3.

Team bowling will take place on the 26 and 27, and double and singles competition will be held on the 2 and 3.

All events on both dates will be at 9:30 a.m., 2 p.m., and 7 p.m. Sponsors and visitors are welcome.

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Alcoa Lake Gets Improvements

Alcoa Lake, proclaimed one of Central Texas' finest for its abundance of bass, crappie and catfish, is becoming more attractive by the day to anglers thanks to a modernization program now under way.

The owner, Aluminum Company of America, is constructing a new boat launching ramp and boat dock, dredging a channel, initiating a weed control program and refurbishing the lake's picnic area. The 850-acre lake is open to the public six days a week.

The new 50-foot long, concrete ramp is 12 feet wide, some four feet broader than the old facility. Alcoa officials said it will provide a two-foot water depth at the end of the ramp at minimum water level.

The new 4 by 25-foot wooden dock will be built adjacent to the ramp for loading unloading and tying up boats. The weed control program is designed to keep the lake's marine life healthy while providing greater safety and fish accessibility to sportsmen. Company officials said picnic tables and barbecue grills will be repaired and rebuilt where necessary.

Constructed primarily as a cooling pond for Rockdale Works' electric generating plant, Alcoa Lake was opened for public recreational activities in 1954. State hatcheries provided 23,677 bass, 3,200 bluegills and 5,00 channel cat for the and 5,000 channel cat for the initial stocking. Texas Parks and Wildlife personnel conduct annual fish inventories at the lake and advise Alcoa on proper lake and marine life maintenance.

Over a quarter-million guest fishing permits have been issued at Alcoa Lake during its first 20 years. Two of the all-time record catches are a 66-pound yellow cat and an 8-3/4 pound bass.

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January is not too early to start preparing that special science project that might win one of more than 37 awards to be given at this year's Central Texas Regional Science Fair, March 28 through 29.

Hosted by Baylor University and conducted each year on Baylor's Waco campus, the fair is in association with the International Science and Engineering Fair, the Texas Junior Academy of Science and the Texas Senior Academy of Science. The fair this year will be in Baylor's Lloyd O. Russell Intramural Sports Symnasium.

Entry forms for the fair may be obtained in a copy of the science fair handbook that has been sent to each of the 34 Central Texas schools participating in this year's fair. Additional entry forms may be obtained from the Central Texas Regional Science Fair Office, Sid Richardson Science Building, Baylor University, Waco, Texas 76703.

Entry forms should be sent by March 12 to Dr. Bryce C. Brown, fair director, at the science fair office. Brown is a professor of biology and director of Baylor's Strecker Museum. Entries must be in the office no later than midnight, March 22. No late entries will be accepted.

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The Cameron Herald has been authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections, May 4, 1974.

For:
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Taxpayers Ask IRS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q. **My 20 year old son attended college full-time for two months last winter, dropped out to go to work and returned to school full-time in September. He earned about $3,000 during the year. Can I still claim him as a dependent?**

A. Yes, if he meets all the dependency tests, including your having provided over one-half of his total support. If you son is a full-time student during some part of each five months of the year, there is no limit on how much he can earn and still remain your dependent. These five months do not have to occur consecutively.

Q. **I know that a political contribution to a candidate or his campaign committee may be eligible for a deduction or credit. What about contributions to a political party?**

A. Contributions to a national, state or local committee of a national political party may also qualify for the deduction or credit.

You may deduct up to $50 ($100 on a joint return) or take half of your contribution as a direct credit against your tax up to $12.50 ($25 on a joint return).

Q. **I've transferred $2,000 worth of investment securities registered in my name to my child. I am custodian for the account. Do I have to pay gift tax on this transfer?**

A. A transfer for the benefit of a person under 21 generally qualifies for the $3,000 annual exclusion from gift tax, provided the minor has use of the property and income from it before he turns 21 and any property or income not disposed of by that time passes to him.

The $3,000 annual gift tax exclusion will still be allowed even though state law requires the property to be distributed to the minor at age 18.

Q. **I'm a school teacher. I paid a person to substitute for me for a day. Can I deduct the amount I paid for the substitute?**

A. Yes. Amounts you pay for a substitute teacher to take your place are deductible. However, you are not entitled to this deduction to the extent that it is allocable to amounts excluded as sick pay.

Citizens Energy Workshops Planned As BIRD Project

AUSTIN

A series of Citizen's Workshops on Energy and the Environment will be sponsored Feb. 4-6 by The University of Texas' newly formed Balcones Institute for Research and Development (BIRD).

The Atomic Energy Commission workshop series is the first official project of BIRD.

Prof. J. Neils Thompson, BIRD director, said the series of workshops "will provide an opportunity for students and residents of the Austin area to learn more about the nation's problems of present and future energy and envioronmental needs."

One of the features of the workshops is an Energy-Environment Simulator, an electronic game in which participants make decisions about energy sources and uses, and the kind of environment they want, as the centuries go by at the rate of one per minute.

The Citizens' Workshops on Energy and the Environment are operated for the AEC by Oak Ridge Associated Universities in Oak Ridge, Tenn., and are scheduled for 40 cities in 29 states across the United States.

Professor Thompson said that BIRD is an appropriate sponsor for the workshops. The organization was created to provide a vehicle for the expansion of UT Austins' Balcones Research Center through attracting high-technology and research oriented industry and governmental agencies to locate at the center, located eight miles northwest of the main campus. The objectives of Bird include providing close working relations with industrial research organizations and increasing opportunities for graduate students to do research.

In addition to the benefits derived by students, Professor Thompson pointed out that the results of scientific and technological research that are of benefit to the public are widely disseminated through publication in professional and trade journals."

The main function of Balcones Research Center in the past has been to provide UT Austin departments with research space and facilities, and as growth takes place, it is expected that more such research operations will be accommodated at the Center.

Any persons or groups interested in participating in the AEC citizen's workshops should contact James J. Kelly at BIRD, 836-0440-Ext. 272.

Market Report

Cattle and calves receipts totaled 655 Thursday at the auction compared with 449 last week and 115 last year. Slaughter cows were mostly 1.00 lower with spots 2.00 lower on utility.

Slaughter bulls steady. Feeder steers mostly 1.00 higher. Steer calves 1.00 - 2.00 higher with full advance on choice. Feeder heifers and heifer calves 2.00 higher on choice. Stock cows and pairs steady, demand was good.

Slaughter cows utility 30 to 33.75, cutter 27.50, canner 23-27. Slaughter bulls yield grand 1-2, 41.25 to 46.40. Feeder steers choice 61 to 68. Feeder heifers choice 50 to 55. Stock cows good and choice heifers 40.75 to 46.50. Cow and calf pairs choice 385 to 455, good 300 to 400.

Hogs - barrows and gilts weak to 25 lower, sows steady. US 1-2 barrows and gilts 40.25 to 40.90 . Sows US 1-3, 34 to 39.

Wallace Graduates

Craig Wallace, son of Judge and Mrs. W. C. Wallace of Cameron, was a candidate for a bachelor's degree in radio-television - film at the close of the fall semester at the University of Texas.

SOLAR ENERGY

The sunlight that falls on the United States in two days provides enough solar energy to outlast all the Nation's known reserves of oil, natural gas, and coal.

Obituaries

Marek

Miss Antonia Marak, 88, of Rt. 2 Buckholts, died Wednesday afternoon in a Cameron nursing home.

Funeral was held at 10 a. m. Friday at SS. Cyril and Methodius Catholic Church of Marak, the Rev. Peter Noble officiating. Burial was in the Marak Cemetery.

Rosary was recited Thursday night at Marek-Burns-Laywell Funeral Home.

Miss Marak was a native of Milam County and a member of the Altar Soceity of SS. Cyril and Methodius Church and of the KJZT Lodge.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Rosie Boedeker of Bryan, Mrs. Agnes Petry of Shiner and Mrs. Albina Jochek of Marak; and several nieces and nephews.

Happy Birthday

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A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health

Accent on Health

J.E. PEAVY, M.D., Commissioner of Health

New Year's resolutions are those often-abused commitments that people make to themselves, and to others, for a better life in the coming year. If your list of resolutions is a little short this year, the Texas State Department of Health offers a few suggestions:

First, and most important, see that every member of your family has a thorough check-up. Let your family doctor give you a complete physical examination, especially if you're over forty, even if you do thing you're "getting better, not just getting older." A regular, complete physical exam is the best way yet devised to head off health problems.

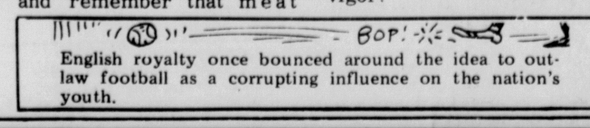
Smoking has been identified as a major contributor to cancer, heart disease, and other forms of body abuse. If you don't smoke, don't start. If you do smoke, try to stop -- or at least cut down drastically.

Take a minute to check your childrens' immunization records. If you don't have them, give your family doctor a call and ask him to see that your children have received all their immunizations. If not, give your children full protection immediately. You're better safe than sorry.

Remember that children are not the only ones susceptible to tooth decay. Visit your dentist at least once during the year. If he finds more cavities or periodontal disease than you expected, ask him about the latest techniques in preventive dentistry and oral hygiene.

Eating the right food is essential to your health, so resolve to eat a balanced diet from the four food groups. and remember that meat isn't the only source of protein. Seafood, milk products, beans, soy beans, nuts, and cereals are also excellent sources of protein.

Is there a bulge on your body suit that shouldn't be there -- especially around the midsection? You should know that too much weight can contribute to high blood pressure, heart disease, and many other physical problems, all of which could lead to an early death. Promise yourself to start avoiding those delicious little tidbits that put on pounds. just as important, begin an exercise program to tone up those muscles and give you new vigor.



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